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Dear Examiner Parker:

Submitted herewith, please find a response to the Office Action mailed May 1, 2006. The response comprises 12 pages.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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